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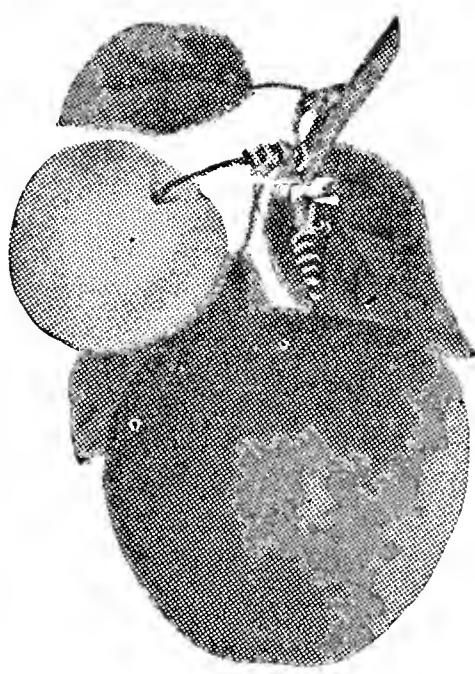
....WHOLESALE CATALOG....

FALL

1939

SPRING

1940



One of the South's Foremost Nurseries

At Prices You Can Afford to Pay

Empire Nursery and Orchard

R. L. BAKER

BAILEYTON, ALABAMA

SHIPPING POINT: CULLMAN, ALABAMA

THE PROGRESS OF THE EMPIRE NURSERY AND ORCHARD

1. 1914 R. L. Baker started the Nursery on 40 acres of land near Baileyton, Alabama.
2. The first packing house was built out of box lumber that grape vines were shipped in. Three acres of grape vines were planted.
3. 1915 a planting of grape vines was made in addition to some Hackworth Apple trees.
4. 1917 there were added 80 acres of land.
5. 1918 there were added 80 acres of land.
6. 1919 the second packing house was added, its size was 16 x 24 feet.
7. 1920 there were added Peach trees and other lines of fruit trees.
8. 1924 there were added 240 acres of land.
9. 1925 the third packing house, 60 x 60 feet.
10. 1927 Narrow and Broadleaf Evergreens and Flowering Shrubs were added to the line of Nursery Stock.
11. 1937 there were 7 New Houses built.
12. 1939 there are growing on the 600 acres of land a complete line of Nursery Stock which consists of Fruit trees, Muscadine and Grape vines, Fig trees, Privet, Roses, Narrow and Broadleaf Evergreens, Nut trees, Seedlings, and one of the finest Apple orchards in the South.
13. 1939 in the late Fall, we are opening up our New Sales Office and display grounds on the Bee Line Highway in the city of Cullman, Alabama.
14. Our shipping point is Cullman, Alabama and you may reach us by wire at our Sales Office in Cullman, Alabama.

TO THE TRADE—we must give credit for our growth to the trade, friends, and customers. The owner, R. L. Baker, during the 26 years of progressive business has tried to "**DO UNTO OTHERS AS HE WOULD HAVE THEM TO DO UNTO HIM**," thus, we have enjoyed a successful business growth.

To our many friends—**OLD AND NEW**—we wish to thank them for past business and looking forward to giving them the same service and first class Nursery Stock that they should expect and **WILL RECEIVE** when trading with us.

EMPIRE NURSERY & ORCHARD

R. L. Baker & Sons

BAILEYTON, ALABAMA



"Heavy 2 Year Apple Trees In Nursery Row"

APPLE TREES:

	Per 10	Per 100
7-16" 2 year, Heavy branched.....	\$1.10	\$10.00
9-16" 2 year, Heavy branched.....	1.50	14.00
11-16" 2 year, Heavy branched.....	1.80	16.00
2-3 feet, 1 year whips.....	.70	6.00
3-4 feet, 1 year whips.....	.90	8.00
4-6 feet, 1 year whips.....	1.10	10.00

Arkansas Black	June, Yellow
Astrachan, Red	Kennards Choice
^tha (Sum. Yel. Del.)	King David
Ben Davis	Magnum Bonam
Delicious	McIntosh
Delicious, New Red	M. B. Twig
Delicious, Yellow	Movery
Early Harvest	Red Reese
Faely Transparent	Southern Pride
Fanny	Stayman
Hackworth	Stayman, New Red
Hackworth, New Red	Surley
Golden Sweet	Winter Horse
Grimes Golden	Winesap
Helms	Winter Terry
Jonathan	Yellow Horse
Jonathan, New Red	York
June, Striped	Yates
June, Red	

SPECIAL QUOTATION ON PEACH AND APPLE TREES IN CAR LOAD LOTS



"June Bud Peach Trees, 36 ins. August 1st"

PEACH TREES:

Per 10 Per 100

Prices given below are for both June Bud and dormant budded peach trees. These have been given plenty of space in row to develop a better root and top system.

18-24 inches	\$.45	\$4.00
2-3 feet .....	.55	5.00
3-4 feet .....	.75	6.50
4-5 feet .....	.95	8.50
5-6 feet	1.00	9.50

Augberta	Heath Cling
Arp Beauty	Indian Cling
Champion	J. H. Hale
Carman	Krummels October
Chinese Cling	Mayflower
Crawford Early	Mikado
Crawford Late	Red Bird Cling
Early Rose	Salweay
Early Elberta	Slappy
Early Hiley	South Haven
Elberta	Sneed
Golden Jubilee	Salweay
Greensboro	Stump O' World
Georgia Belle	Uneeda
Hiley	Valiant
Hale Haven	Vedette

CHERRY TREES:

2-3 feet	\$1.50	\$12.00
3-4 feet	2.00	16.00
4-5 feet	2.50	22.00

Black Cat	Early Richmond
Black Tartarian	Montmorenci

PEAR TREES:

2-3 feet	\$1.30	\$11.00
3-4 feet	1.80	16.00
4-5 feet	2.20	20.00

2 Year, Extra Heavy	3.50	30.00
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Bartlett	Garber
Baldwin	Koonce
Douglas	Keifler
Early Wilder	Lecounte
Early Harvest	Pineapple

PLUM and APRICOT TREES:

2-3 feet	\$1.20	\$10.00
3-4 feet	1.50	12.00
4-5 feet	1.80	16.00

Abundance	Mammouth Gold
Bruce	Moorpart Apricot
Burjank	Royal Apricot
Blue Damson	Superb Apricot
Early Golden Apricot	Santa Rosa
Methley	Shiro
May Ripe	Wickson

GROWERS OF THE QUALITY STOCK THAT ALWAYS**C O U N T S**



“Budding Chinese Chestnut Seedlings”

NUT TREES:	Per 10	Per 100
18-24 inches	\$1.00	\$ 9.00
2-3 feet	1.25	11.00
3-4 feet	1.50	13.00
4-5 feet	2.50	23.00
5-6 feet	3.50	33.00
Black Walnut		
Chinese Chestnut		
Japan Walnut		

FIG TREES:	Per 10	Per 100
12-18 inches	\$.80	\$ 6.00
18-24 inches	1.00	8.00
2-3 feet	1.40	12.00
3-4 feet	2.00	16.00
Black Mission		
Brown Turkey		
Celeste		
Kondoka		
Magnolia		

MULBERRY TREES:	Per 10	Per 100
3-4 feet	\$1.50	\$12.00
4-5 feet	2.00	16.00
5-7 feet	2.50	18.00
Hicks Everbearing		
White Fruit		
Black English		

MUSCADINE GRAPE VINES:	Per 10	Per 100
1 Year No. 1	\$1.50	\$12.00
2 Year No. 2	1.50	12.00
2 Year No. 1	2.00	15.00
Flowers		
James		
Scuppernong		
Thomas		

GRAPE VINES:	Per 10	Per 100
1 Year No. 2	\$.45	\$ 4.00
1 Year No. 1 .....	.60	5.00
2 Year No. 2 .....	.60	5.00
2 Year No. 2 .....	.70	6.00
Catawba		
Concord		
Carman		
Carter		
Ives Seedlings		
Lutie		
Moores Early		
Niagara		

PEACH PITS —80% Natural Seedlings. All clean looking this Season's grown only.	
1 to 10 bushels, per bushel.....	\$3.00
10 to 24 bushels, per bushel.....	2.75
25 to 49 bushels, per bushel.....	\$2.50
50 to 100 bushels, per bushel.....	2.25

BERRY PLANTS:		Per 1000
Boysenberry		\$50.00
Early Harvest Blackberry.....		20.00
Lucretia Dewberry		20.00
St. Regis Raspberry.....		25.00
Van Fleet Raspberry		35.00
Young Dewberry		18.00
Aroma Strawberry		3.00
Blakemore Strawberry		2.75
Klondyke Strawberry.....		3.00
Missionary Strawberry		2.75

CLIMBING ROSES:		Each	Per 10	100
1 Year, No. 1.....		\$.15	\$1.25	\$10.00
1 Year, No. 1½.....		.12	1.00	8.00

American Pillar	Marchael Neil
Cl. Columbia	Paul's Scarlet Climber
Cl. American Beauty	Primrose
Dr. Van Fleet	Seven Sisters
Excelsa	Silver Moon
Gregorie Staechelin	Veilchenblau
Jacotte	Tausendscheon
Mary Wallace	White Rambler

MONTHLY ROSES:		Each	Per 10	100
1 Year, No. 1.....		\$.15	\$1.25	\$10.00
1 Year, No. 1½.....		.12	1.00	8.00

Alex. H. Grey	Luxembourg
Briarcliff	Mrs. Charles Bell
Ete de France	Inuntis Priscella
Ete de Hollande	Pink Radiance
E. G. Hill	Paul Neyron
Frances S. Key	Red Radiance
Frau Kar Druschki	Sunburst
General Jacquanot	Talisman
K. A. Victoria	Willowmere
Lady Hillindon	

NURSERY SUPPLIES:

ATCO CANDY STRIPE TWINE—Assorted cotton twine suited for sewing, tying, or wrapping.

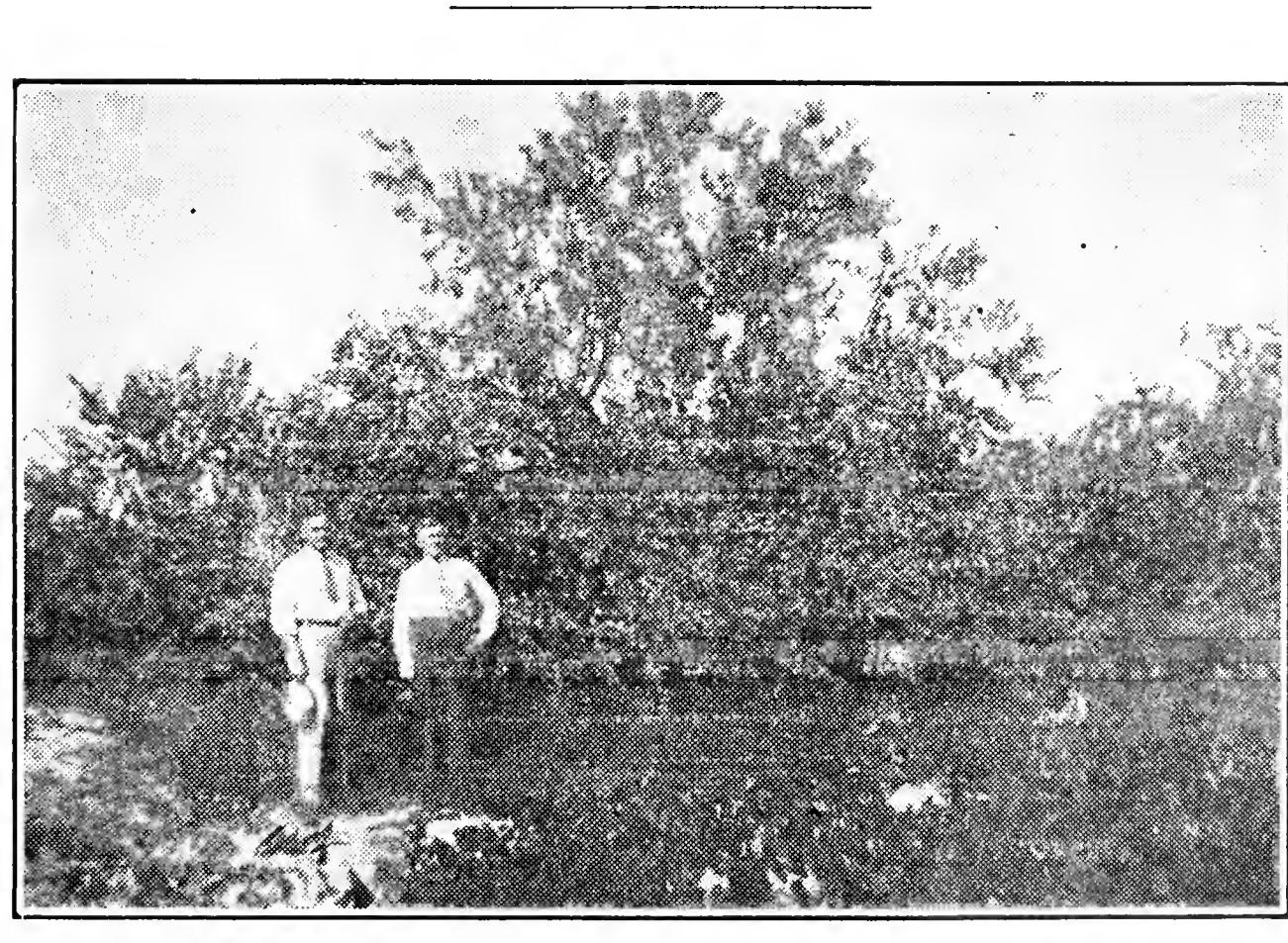
2 lb. balls, @ 25c per lb.....	\$.50
50 lb. tubes, @ 20c per lb.....	10.00

BURLAP—the fine quality resewed burlap, ready for use.

Small lots, per yard.....	\$.06
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One to five thousand yard lots, per yard.....	.04
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PAPER LABELS per thousand.....	.90
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“Our 15 Year Old Apple Orchard”



"Block Of Nice 2 Year Abelia"

BROADLEAF EVERGREENS

ABELIA GRANDIFLORA—Glossy Abelia.

	Each	10	100
8-12 inches	\$.10	\$.80	\$ 6.00
12-18 inches .....	.15	1.00	8.00
18-24 inches .....	.25	2.00	18.00
2-3 feet .....	.30	2.50	22.00

BUXUS SEMPERVIRENS—Common Boxwood.

12-18 inches, B. & B.....	\$.65	\$5.50	\$50.00
18-24 inches, B. & B.....	.80	7.50	70.00
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	1.00	9.00	80.00

BUXUS SEMPERVERENS SUFFRUTICOSA—Dwarf Boxwaad.

9-12 inches, B. & B.....	\$.60	\$5.50	\$50.00
12-15 inches, B. & B.....	.80	7.50	70.00
15-18 inches, B. & B.....	1.00	9.00	.....

ELEAGNUS PUNGENS FRUITLANDI—Bronze Eleagnus.

18-24 inches, B. & B.....	\$.75	\$5.00	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	.85	7.50	.....

EUONYMUS PATENS—Spreading Euonymus.

18-24 inches, B. & B.....	\$.50	\$4.50	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	.75	6.50	.....

EUONYMUS JAPONICUS—Evergreen Burningbush.

18-24 inches, B. & B.....	\$.50	\$4.50	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	.75	6.00	.....

LIGUSTRUM JAPONICUM—Japan Privet.

18-24 inches, B. & B.....	\$.50	\$4.00	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	.60	5.00	40.00
3-4 feet, B. & B.....	.75	6.00	50.00

LIGUSTRUM JAPONICUM AUREA—Golden Japan Privet.

18-24 inches, B. & B.....	\$.60	\$5.00	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	.70	6.00	.....
3-4 feet, B. & B.....	.85	7.00	.....

LIGUSTRUM LUCIDUM—Glossy Privet.

12-15 inches, B. & B.....	\$.40	\$3.50	\$30.00
15-18 inches, B. & B.....	.45	4.00	35.00
18-24 inches, B. & B.....	.60	5.50	50.00
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	.70	6.00	.....

LIGUSTRUM LUCIDUM COMPACTUM—Upright Glossy Privet.

	Each	10	100
15-18 inches, B. & B.....	\$.50	\$4.00	.....
18-24 inches, B. & B.....	.60	5.00	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	.75	6.50	.....
3-4 feet, B. & B.....	.90	8.50	.....

LIGUSTRUM LUCIDUM PYRAMIDALIS—Pyramidal Glossy Privet.

15-18 inches, B. & B.....	\$.55	\$5.00	.....
18-24 inches, B. & B.....	.75	6.00	.....

LIGUSTRUM NEPALENSE—Nepal Privet.

18-24 inches, B. & B.....	\$.60	\$5.00	\$40.00
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	.70	6.00	50.00
2-4 feet, B. & B.....	.80	7.00	60.00

LAUROCERASUS CAROLINIANA—Cherry Laurel.

18-24 inches, B. & B.....	\$.60	\$5.00	\$40.00
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	.70	6.00	50.00
3-4 feet, B. & B.....	.80	7.00	.....

MAGNOLIA GRANDIFLORA—Southern Magnolia.

18-24 inches, B. & B.....	\$.50	\$4.50	\$40.00
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	.60	5.50	50.00
3-4 feet, B. & B.....	.75	7.00	60.00

NANDINA DOMESTICA—Japanese Nandina.

15-18 inches, B. & B.....	\$.55	\$5.00	.....
18-24 inches, B. & B.....	.65	6.00	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	.75	7.00	.....

PYRACANTHA COCCINEA LALANDI—Laland Firethorn.

18-24 inches, B. & B.....	\$.50	\$4.50	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.....	.60	5.50	50.00
3-4 feet, B. & B.....	.70	6.00	.....

“BROADLEAF EVERGREENS FOR SOUTHERN PLANTINGS”

“WE NEED MORE PLANTED IN OUR SOUTHERN LANDSCAPE

WORK — WE SPECIALIZE IN GROWING THE BEST.”



“Boxwood For The Whole Family”

SHADE TREES:

LUMUS AMERICAN — American Elm.

	Each	10	100
4-5 feet	\$.40	\$3.00	\$25.00
5-6 feet .....	.50	4.50	35.00
6-7 feet .....	.60	5.00	50.00
7-8 feet .....	.70	6.00	50.00

POPULUS NIRA ITALICA—Lombardy Poplar.

18-24 inches	\$.10	\$.60	\$ 4.00
2-3 feet .....	.12	.80	6.00
3-4 feet .....	.15	1.00	8.00
4-5 feet .....	.30	2.50	20.00
5-6 feet .....	.40	3.50	30.00

ACER PLATANOIDES—Norway Maple.

18-24 inches	\$.40	\$3.50	.....
2-3 feet .....	.50	4.00	35.00
3-4 feet .....	.60	5.00	.....
4-5 feet .....	.70	6.00	.....
5-6 feet .....	.80	7.00	.....

ACER DASYCARPUM—Silver Maple.

3-4 feet	\$.40	\$3.50	\$30.00
4-5 feet .....	.50	4.50	40.00
5-6 feet .....	.60	5.50	50.00

CERCIS CANADENSIS—American Redbud.

18-24 inches	\$.20	\$1.50	.....
2-3 feet .....	.25	2.00	.....
3-4 feet .....	.30	2.50	.....

HEDGE PLANTS

LIGUSTRUM OVALIFOLIUM—California Privet.

	Per — 100	1000
6-12 inches, 2 canes.....	\$.75	\$ 5.00
12-18 inches, 2 canes.....	1.00	8.00
12-18 inches, 3 canes and up.....	1.50	11.00
18-24 inches, 3 canes.....	1.80	15.00
18-24 inches, 4 canes and up.....	2.00	18.00
2-3 feet, 4 canes and up.....	2.50	20.00

LIGUSTRUM SINENSE—South Privet.

12-18 inches, 3 canes and up.....	\$ 1.00	\$ 8.00
18-24 inches, 3 canes and up.....	2.00	15.00
2-3 feet, 4 canes and up.....	2.50	20.00
3-4 feet, 5 canes and up.....	3.50	30.00

LIGUSTRUM AMURENSE—North Privet.

6-12 inches, 1 canes and up.....	\$ 1.00	\$ 7.00
12-18 inches, 2 canes.....	1.50	10.00
12-18 inches, 3 canes and up.....	2.00	18.00
18-24 inches, 2 canes.....	2.00	18.00
18-24 inches, 3 canes and up.....	2.50	22.00
2-3 feet, 3 canes and up.....	3.50	30.00
3-4 feet, 5 canes and up.....	4.50	40.00

SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI—

6-12 inches, 2 canes.....	\$ 3.50	\$30.00
12-18 inches, 2 canes and up.....	4.50	40.00
18-24 inches, 3 canes and up.....	6.00	70.00
2-3 feet, 4 canes and up.....	8.00	70.00
3-4 feet, 5 canes and up.....	10.00	90.00

CONIFEROUS EVERGREENS

BIOTA AUREA NANA—Berckman Arborvitae.

	Each	10	100
15-18 inches, B. & B.	\$.75	\$6.50	.....
18-24 inches, B. & B.	.85	7.50	.....

BIOTA BONITA—Bonita Arborvitae.

12-15 inches, B. & B.	\$.50	\$4.50	.....
15-18 inches, B. & B.	.60	5.50	.....

BIOTA DARK GREEN—Dark Green Arborvitae.

18-24 inches, B. & B.	\$.50	\$4.50	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.	.75	6.50	.....

BIOTA COMPACTA—Compact Arborvitae.

18-24 inches, B. & B.	\$.50	\$4.50	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.	.60	5.50	.....
3-4 feet, B. & B.	.75	7.00	.....

BIOTA PYRAMIDALIS—American Arborvitae.

18-24 inches, B. & B.	\$.60	\$5.50	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.	.70	6.50	.....
3-4 feet, B. & B.	.80	7.50	.....

BIOTA ORIENTALIS—Chinese Arborvitae.

15-18 inches, B. & B.	\$.45	\$4.00	.....
18-24 inches, B. & B.	.55	5.00	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.	\$1.50	.....	.....

CEDRUS DEODAR—Deodar Cedar.

2-3 feet, B. & B.	\$1.25	.....	.....
3-4 feet, B. & B.	1.75	.....	.....

J. C. Pfitzeriana—Fitzier Juniper.

15-18 inches, B. & B.	\$1.25	.....	.....
18-24 inches, B. & B.	1.50	.....	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.	2.00	.....	.....

J. C. ALBO VARIEGATA—Spotted Juniper.

18-24 inches, B. & B.	\$1.00	.....	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.	1.50	.....	.....

J. C. EXCELSA STRICTA—Spiny Green Juniper.

12-15 inches, B. & B.	\$.50	\$4.00	\$30.00
15-18 inches, B. & B.	.60	5.00	40.00
18-24 inches, B. & B.	.70	6.00	50.00

JUNIPERUS COMMUNIS HIBERNICA—Irish Juniper.

18-24 inches, B. & B.	\$.50	\$4.50	\$40.00
2-3 feet, B. & B.	.70	6.50	60.00
3-4 feet, B. & B.	.90	8.50	80.00

RETINOSPORA FILIFERA

18-24 inches, B. & B.	\$.70	\$6.00	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.	.80	7.00	60.00
3-4 feet, B. & B.	.90	8.00	.....

C. LAWSONIANA PENDULA—Weeping Lawson Cypress.

18-24 inches, B. & B.	\$.70	\$6.00	.....
2-3 feet, B. & B.	.80	7.00	.....
3-4 feet, B. & B.	.90	8.00	.....

DECIDUOUS SHRUBS AND PLANTS

BERBERIS THUNBERGI—Japanese Barberry

	Each	10	100
4-6 inches .....	....	\$.70	\$ 5.00
6-8 inches .....	....	.90	7.00
15-18 inches .....	.15	1.25	.....

BUDDLEIA DAVIDI MAGNIFICA—Butterfly bush.

18-24 inches	\$.10	\$.75	\$ 5.00
2-3 feet .....	.15	1.00	7.50
3-4 feet .....	.20	1.50	10.00

CYDONIA JAPONICA—Flowering Quince

15-18 inches .....	.20	.....	.....
18-24 inches .....	.30	.....	.....

CREPEMYRTLE—Pink, Red, Lavender, White.

8-12 inches .....	....	\$.70	\$ 6.00
12-15 inches .....	....	1.10	10.00
15-18 inches .....	....	1.30	12.00
18-24 inches .....	....	1.50	14.00
2-3 feet .....	.20	1.70	.....
3-4 feet .....	.35	3.00	.....
4-5 feet .....	.50	4.00	.....

DUETZIA—Pride of Rochester.

18-24 inches	\$.10	\$.75	\$ 5.00
2-3 feet .....	.15	1.00	7.50
3-4 feet .....	.20	1.50	10.00
4-5 feet .....	.25	2.00	15.00

DOUBLE FLOWERING PEACH—White, Red, Pink.

2-3 feet	\$.15	\$1.00	.....
3-4 feet .....	.20	1.50	.....
4-5 feet .....	.25	2.00	.....

DESMODIUM PENDULIFLORUM—Flowering Lespedeza Formosa

12-18 inches	\$.20	\$1.50	.....
18-24 inches .....	.25	2.00	.....

FORSYTHIA—Intermedia, Suspensa, Veridissima.

12-18 inches	\$.10	\$.70	\$ 5.00
18-24 inches .....	.12	.90	7.00
2-3 feet .....	.15	1.00	8.50

HYDRANGEA P. G.—Peegee Hydrangea.

12-18 inches	\$.20	.....	.....
18-24 inches .....	.25	.....	.....

HIBISCUS SYRIACUS—Double Red, Lavender, White.

12-18 inches	\$.08	\$.60	\$ 4.00
18-24 inches .....	.10	7.50	5.00
2-3 feet .....	.15	1.00	7.50
3-4 feet .....	.20	1.50	10.00

JASMINUM—Nudiflorum (January Jasmine).

	Each	10	100
18-24 inches	\$.20	\$1.80	.....
2-3 feet .....	.30	2.50	.....

JASMINUM—Primulinum (Primrose Jasmine).

18-24 inches	\$.15	\$1.25	.....
2-3 feet .....	.20	1.50	.....
3-4 feet .....	.25	2.00	.....

LONICERA FRAGRANTISSIMA—Winter Honeysuckle.

18-24 inches	\$.20	\$1.50	\$10.00
2-3 feet .....	.25	2.00	15.00
3-4 feet .....	.30	2.50	20.00

LONICERA GRANDIFLORA HOSA—Pink Bride Honeysuckle.

18-24 inches	\$.20	\$1.50	\$10.00
2-3 feet .....	.25	2.00	15.00
3-4 feet .....	.30	2.50	20.00

PHILADELPHUS GRANDIFLORA—English Dogwood.

18-24 inches	\$.10	\$.75	\$ 5.00
2-3 feet .....	.15	1.00	7.50
3-4 feet .....	.20	1.50	10.00
4-5 feet .....	.25	2.00	15.00

LILAC—French lylac (Alphonse Lavalle, Edith Cavell, Wm. Robinson, Michel Buchner, Jean Mace).

12-18 inches	\$.25	\$2.00	.....
18-24 inches .....	.35	3.00	.....

SPIREA—Anthony Waterer.

12-15 inches	\$.15	\$1.00	\$ 7.50
15-18 inches .....	.20	1.50	.....

SPIREA—Thunbergi.

12-15 inches	\$.10	\$.75	\$ 5.00
15-18 inches .....	.15	1.00	7.50
18-24 inches .....	.20	1.50	10.00
2-3 feet .....	.25	2.00	15.00

SPIREA—Van Houte

18-24 inches	\$.10	\$.75	\$ 5.00
2-3 feet .....	.15	1.00	7.50
3-4 feet .....	.20	1.50	10.00

WEIGELA—Pink, Red, Light Red, and White.

18-24 inches	\$.10	\$.75	\$ 5.00
2-3 feet .....	.15	1.00	7.50
3-4 feet .....	.20	1.50	10.00

SYMPHORICARPOS MOLLIS—Spreading Snowberry.

18-24 inches	\$.15	\$1.00	.....
2-3 feet .....	.20	1.50	.....

A SPECIAL SHADE TREE OFFER

MELIA UMBRACULIFORMIS—Texas Umbrella.

	Each	10	100
3-4 feet	\$.30	\$2.50	\$20.00
4-5 feet .....	.40	3.50	30.00
5-6 feet .....	.50	4.00	35.00

THESE HARD TIMES?

ALL DEPENDS ON WHAT YOU MEAN BY "HARD"

George McKee, Anderson, S. C., says times are not hard. Here's the way George puts it:

"Don't talk to me about hard times. I was born 8 miles from a railroad, 5 miles from a school house, 9 miles from a church, 885 miles from New York, 200 yards from a wash hole, 15 feet from a cornfield and 8,767 miles from Hongkong."

"Our nearest neighbors lived two miles away and they couldn't read or write. I never saw a suit of underwear until I was 17 years old, and that revelation didn't belong to anybody in our family. The only book in the house during my early childhood was a Bible and a catalogue somebody sent us."

"There were twelve members in our family, but, you see, we had three rooms to live in, including a dining room, which was also the kitchen. Everybody worked at our house. We thought everybody else in the world had gravy and bread for breakfast, liver and cracklin' hoecake for dinner, buttermilk and corn pone for supper, 'cause that's what we had—and liked it."

"Some of us wore brogan shoes occasionally in the wintertime. We had nice white shirts for summer time use. We slept on straw ticks, and pillows were not thought of or required. I didn't know that money would rattle until I was nearly grown. Father got hold of two half-dollars at the same time, and let us hear them rattle. Taxes were not higher, but harder to pay than now."

"We owned two kerosene lamps, neither of which had a chimney. Our house wasn't ceiled, but two of our rooms had lofts in them. We had a glass window in our 'company' room. Our nicest piece of furniture was a homemade rocking chair. Our beds were of the slat and tight rope variety. The 'trundle bed' took care of all the younguns under 5 years of age, and it stayed full all the time."

"We went to school two or three months in the year, but not in a bus. We attended church once a month, but not in a car; we used a two-mule wagon. We dressed up on Sundays, but not in silks or satins. We neither wrote letters nor received any. We made our own lye hominy, distilled our own lye from our own ash-hopper. We drank sassafras tea and never had a yearning for coffee."

"We sopped our own molasses; we ate our own meat; we considered rice a delicacy for only the preachers to eat; we had heard of cheese, but never saw any; we knew of some store-bought clothes but never hoped to wear any; we got a stick of candy and three raisins for Christmas and were happy; we loved pa and ma and were never hungry, enjoyed getting naked, didn't want much, expected nothing. And that's why our so-called hard times ain't hard on me."

WHO PLANTED THE FIRST GARDEN?

"And the Lord God planted a garden eastward in Eden; and there he put the man whom he had formed. And out of the ground made the Lord God to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight, and good for food." Genesis 2: 8 and 9.

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